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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

SILK GOODS FOR PRESENTS.

WE have just received a very large and varied Stock of SHOT SILKS, PINEAPPLE GANZES, PLAIN and FIGURED CHAPES, EMBROIDERED SILK SHAWLS, ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, and various kinds of SILKS. Goods. All at very moderate prices.

C. M. BIESAN & CO., 5, Lyndhurst Terrace, Hongkong, 23rd December, 1893. [2753]

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATION.

THE public are hereby informed that on T and after the 25th instant the rate of postage on letters posted in the Colony to the place mentioned below will be 4 cents per oz.

United Kingdom. Adm. Ascension, Bahamas, Barbados, British East Africa, British Guiana, British Honduras, British India, Canada, Cape Colony, Ceylon, Cyprus, Fiji, Federated Malay States, Gibraltar, Malta, New Zealand, Norway, Persia, Portugal, Sierra Leone, Siam, Settlements, St. Helena, The Falkland Islands, The Gambia, The Leeward Islands (which comprise Antigua, St. Christopher and Nevis, Dominica, Montserrat and the Virgin Islands), The Niger Coast Protectorate, The Niger Company's Territory, The Windward Islands, Malaya, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Tobago, and Trinidad, Turkey, and Uganda.

The full schedule of new postage rates will be published in the Gazette of the 24th instant.

[631] A. M. THOMSON, Postmaster General, Hongkong, 23rd December, 1893. [2753]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION:

for Account of the Concerned,

JO-DAY

(FEIDAY), the 23rd December, 1893,

at 12 Noon,

at their Sales Rooms, 10a House Street,

120 TONS and 40 lbs. SALMON BELLES.

17 BARRELS each 150 lbs. SALMON BELLES.

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AND

One WARDROBE, DRESSING TABLE,

and SIDEBOARD.

Terms.—As Usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioneers.

Hongkong, 23rd December, 1893. [2753]

FOR THE MAIL.

THE HONGKONG WEEKLY PRESS will be sent to-morrow and will contain—

The Post Office.

The Shanghai Chamber of Commerce and Lord Charles Beresford's Mission.

The Despatch of Glenely.

Major Bowes's Chinese Regiment.

Hongkong Legislative Council.

Local Councils.

March of a Traveller in Tibet.

The Leopold Case of Yokohama.

The Recruits.

Ladies' Benevolent Society.

Railways in Indo-China.

The Works of the Post Office.

The Japanese in Formosa.

Plague at Canton.

Opposition to Steam Traffic at Pefuan.

Travelling to India as Inspector.

Royal Hongkong Yacht Club.

Polo.

Crickets.

Correspondence.

Local and District Intelligence.

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Hongkong, 23rd December, 1893.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

FROM TRIESTE, RIUME, PORT SAID, ADEEN, BOMBAY, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship.

"VINDOBONA" having arrived.

Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.

This vessel brings on cargo—

From Trieste, ex. Amalfi, transhipped at Fiume.

From Fiume ex. Corinto and Messina.

Have transhipped at Trieste.

Optional cargo will be discharged here unless notice to the contrary be given immediately.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and the Consignee sent in to the underwriters before noon on the 22nd December, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 23rd December will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Sander, Wielber & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 23rd December, 1893. [15]

UNITED STATES & CHINA-JAPAN STEAMSHIP LINE.

FROM NEW YORK AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship

"INDIAN."

Having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before noon.

THE remaining undelivered, after the 26th instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all claims for damage and/or shortage not later than the 5th proximo, otherwise they will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATTHESON & CO.

Agents.

Hongkong, 23rd December, 1893. [834]

ENTERTAINMENTS

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CITY HALL

Under the distinguished Patronage of Vice-Admiral Sir EDWARD HOBART SEYMOUR, K.C.B., R.N.

By kind Permission of Captain the Hon. HEDWORTH JAMIESON and Officers of H.M.S. "POWERFUL"

H.M.S. "MISS FIRE"

Entitled

H.M.S. "MISS FIRE"

CHANGE ROUNDS

of

MONDAY, 23RD DECEMBER, 1893.

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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

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The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, December 23rd 1898.

The west side of Glenlyon, we regret to say, is irrecoverably gone, so far as its public use and enjoyment are concerned.

Everybody must regret it, but it is difficult to say how the site could have been saved unless the public or some philanthropist would have subscribed a very handsome sum.

A number of people were ready to subscribe sums ranging from \$200 downwards, and if four or five thousand dollars would have sufficed there would have been little difficulty in raising it, but at least five times that amount would have been required, and it has been found impossible to get subscriptions running into four figures to head the list with.

A brief statement of the case may be useful.

The whole property, including Barnbrae, changed hands some time ago, as stated in Mr. H. B. WILDMAN's letter published a few days since, at \$2,75 a square foot.

Before it changed hands the property was owned completely by two deceased estates and the Hon. G. P. CHATER, and the parties finding it convenient to liquidate their several interests a sale was decided upon.

The new owners were naturally desirous of utilising their purchase to the best advantage, for which no one can blame them, and they employed Messrs. DENISON, and RAM, architects, who made plans for the erection of three houses on the particular portion of the property now in question.

These plans were submitted to the Government for approval three months ago, in the usual course, and were sanctioned, and an application for permission to erect balconies over Crown land—which of course cannot be done without permission—was granted.

The owners then made a contract for the erection of the buildings for \$17,500. In estimating the amount that would be required for the resumption of the land, whether by the Government or by public subscription, regard must be had not only to the price at which the property last changed hands, but also to its actual value as affected by the owner's designs for its development.

We understand that \$125 a month has already been offered for one of the houses and that the total income from the three is estimated at not less than \$300 a month, or say \$3,600 a year. Now \$3,600 a year capitalised at seven per cent. comes in round figures to \$50,000, and deducting the \$17,500, the cost of erecting the buildings, together with loss of interest during the time of building and

other charges, there is say \$25,000 left as the value of the land. That seems at first sight an extravagant figure and possibly, if the owners had been approached before the lands had been drawn, they might have been induced to accept rather less, but we understand that they were induced to consider any offer under \$20,000. When it was realised that the land was to be built upon and that the beauty of Glenlyon was in danger of destruction considerable popular feeling was aroused and several persons moved in the matter in the hope that something might be done to save it. Amongst others the Hon. G. P. CHATER went into it, but on finding the details stated above as to the cost of resuming the land he felt compelled to abandon further action. Mr. T. JACKSON, we understand, also gave the matter his attention, and Mr. H. HUMPHREYS followed up his letter which appeared in our columns by an offer to increase his promised subscription and by other practical steps, but the difficulties in the way seem to have been insuperable. The Government has many works of public necessity on hand or in contemplation for which funds are urgently required, and from the official unsympathetic point of view an expenditure of \$25,000 on what might be termed a matter of sentiment seems to have been considered unjustifiable, while to have asked the public to raise such a sum would have been almost equivalent to starting another Jubilee subscription. Consequently, much as it may be regretted, we must reconcile ourselves to the introduction of bricks and mortar into the glen, and can only hope that the houses will be of such a design as to constitute as little of an eyesore as is possible under the circumstances. The fact that they are to be European dwellings built with the idea of commanding a high rental may be taken as some guarantee on that point. Putting the best complexion on the matter, however, it remains extremely unsatisfactory, and is another illustration of the disabilities under which the community of Hongkong suffers for the want of a Municipal Council or other representative assembly. Had Glenlyon been in charge of some popularly constituted body the probability is that the whole glen would long ago have been scoured for public use in perpetuity, or if by an oversight that had been neglected steps could have been taken to preserve it as the idea of building upon it was mooted, whereas under the existing circumstances the public had no opportunity of knowing anything about it until the building contract had been entered into and the work was on the point of commencing, when it was too late for anything more effective than grumbling.

H. M. S. Edgar arrived from home yesterday with naval reliefs.

The proceeds of the entertainment to be given on Monday evening next by the Amateur Dramatic Company of H. M. S. Rover will be given to Naval charities.

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Mr. H. B. WILDMAN's letter.

Our readers will regret to learn that Sir Henry Blaikie is indisposed. His Excellency was unable to attend the Council meeting yesterday afternoon or to distribute the Royal grants. The latter function stands postponed until to-morrow at 4 p.m.

The N. C. Daily News of the 16th December says—Lord Charles Balfour left here yesterday morning by the El Dorado for Foochow, whence he goes to Amoy, Swatow, and Hongkong. He intends to leave Hongkong on the 25th instant for Yokohama, and after a short stay in Japan will proceed to America. Maru to San Francisco via Honolulu. Dr. Morrison, the Times correspondent at Peking, who is on his way to Siam or Java, was also a passenger by the El Dorado.

At the Supreme Court yesterday, before Mr. Justice Wise, the Acting Attorney-General (Mr. G. E. Pollock) moved that Henry Francis (Mr. G. E. Pollock) be appointed and admitted to practice as an attorney and proctor of the Supreme Court. Mr. Pollock arrived in the colony on the 17th December. He was admitted a solicitor in the Supreme Court of Judicature in England on the 24th of October, of this year. He was educated at Cheltenham and Trinity College, and there was an affidavit by Mr. G. C. Inglethorpe stating that Mr. Pollock was a fit and proper person to be admitted to an attorney and proctor of this honourable court—Mr. Justice Wise. The papers appear to be in order, and the Hon. G. P. CHATER, and the Hon. T. H. Whitehead (members).

THE RECENT EPIDEMIC OF BUBONIC PLAGUE.

THE ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY laid on the table a report of the recent epidemic of bubonic plague in Hongkong.

FINANCIAL.

Financial minute No. 23 was submitted, and on the motion of the ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY, seconded by the ACTING COLONIAL TREASURER, the same was referred to the Finance Committee.

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The Hon. Attorney-General (chairman), the Hon. T. H. Whitehead (Hon. Secy. to the Finance Committee), the Hon. G. P. CHATER (Clerk of Councils), and the Hon. T. H. Whitehead (members).

Mr. H. B. WILDMAN's letter.

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QUEEN'S ROAD, [26]

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.

IN Accordance with an Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, the Undermentioned Banks will be

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ness on MONDAY and TUESDAY, the 25th

and 26th inst., respectively.

For the CHARTERED BANK of INDIA

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Hongkong, 21st December, 1892. [2740]

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

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Public Business on MONDAY and TUES-

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CHINA TRADES' INSURANCE CO., LTD.

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Hongkong, 19th December, 1898.

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Parcels must be sent to our Office (with address marked in full) by 5 P.M. on the day previous to sailing.

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LONDON, &c. { { CORONADEL } Noon, 21st } See Special Advertisement

F. N. Tillard { December. } 1898.

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